

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

MATTHEW E. MARBACH,

Plaintiff,

v.

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,

Defendant.

Case No. 1:20-cv-1018

HONORABLE PAUL L. MALONEY

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**ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION**

Pending before the Court is Plaintiff's motion for attorney fees pursuant to § 206(b)(1) (42 U.S.C. § 406(b)). The matter was referred to the Magistrate Judge, who issued a Report and Recommendation on October 8, 2024, recommending this Court grant the motion. The Report and Recommendation was duly served on the parties. No objections have been filed. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). Therefore,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge (ECF No. 29) is APPROVED and ADOPTED as the Opinion of the Court.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Plaintiff's motion for award of attorney fees (ECF No. 28) is **GRANTED** in the amount of **\$21,413.50**.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Plaintiff's counsel **REFUND** to Plaintiff the previously awarded EAJA fee in the amount of **\$9,250.00**.

Dated: October 28, 2024

/s/ Paul L. Maloney  
Paul L. Maloney  
United States District Judge